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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview May 24, 2002

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☒ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No. If yes, brief description:

Claim(s) discussed: All pending

Identification of prior art discussed:

None

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

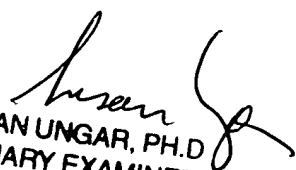
Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Although Examiner did not explicitly state that Applicant had overcome the Debinski Abstract as prior art, Examiner clearly stated in Paper No. 24, Section 4, p. 3 that even without the confirmation of the Debinski Abstract the invention is obvious for the reasons set forth previously and in Paper No. 24, Section 4 and the rejections of Sections 4 and 5 remain.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

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